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Applicants: Eran Blaugrund et al.

Serial No. : 10/712,958

Filed: November 13, 2003

For : USE OF RASAGILINE WITH OR WITHOUT RILUZOLE TO

TREAT AMYOTROPHIC LATERAL SCLEROSIS

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October 1, 2004

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In accordance with their duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, applicants would like to direct the Examiner's attention to the following documents which are listed on Form PTO-1449 (Exhibit A) and are also listed below. A copy of the references listed below as items 1-3 are attached hereto as Exhibit 1-3.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(3) before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits. Thus, this Information Disclosure Statement should be entered and considered.

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Applicants request that the Examiner review the references and make them of record in the subject application.

If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, applicants' undersigned attorney invites the Examiner to telephone him at the number provided below.

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